

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Applicants: Hiroshi Kawamura et al.

Group Art Unit: 3656

Examiner: William C. Joyce

Title: BEARING APPARATUS FOR A WHEEL OF VEHICLE

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**RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Election Requirement dated January 20, 2010,  
please consider the following:

The Examiner has requested restriction under 35 U.S.C. 121 in view of the  
following alleged inventions:

Group I	Figures 1-2
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